A Proclamacion set furth by thee Kynges Maiesty, wyth the aduise of hys moost honorable Counsaill, for the auoydyng of vyle persones out of the citie of London.

THe Kyng our Souereigne Lorde, by thaduise and cõsent of hys highnes moost honorable priue counsaill, Streightly chargeth and commaundeth that al and euery persone and persones of what estate, condicion or degree so euer he or they be beyng his graces naturall subiectes borne, whiche wer not borne within his Maiesties Citee and Chambre of London, the Borough of Southwarke or the Suburbes within the libertes of the same, nor be housholders there, or haue sufficient to liue by, and good and reasonable cause there to remaine, nor haue cõtinued and dwelled within the same by thee space of three yeres together now last paste, and nowe do continewe sojourne and abyde there within the sayed Citie, Borough, or Suburbes, not beyng retayned in seruice with any Persone, nor applyeng themselues to any bodely labour or lawefull occupacion, and takynge Stipend and wages for the same, do not onely furthwith vppon this Proclamacion, departe and auoyde oute of thee sayde Citie, Boroughe and liberties thereof, but also with al conuenient spede, do retourne and get themselues home agayne eyther into their natiue Countreyes where they were borne, or elles into the places within the realme where they last dwelt by the space of three yeres together according to the tenure fourme and effect of the estatute in that behalf, concernyng the ordering of aged and impotente persones the punishement of vacabounides idle and loyteryng persones and Masterles menne, lately made and prouided, vpon the paynes in the same estatute limited and expressed. And that the said Mayre, Aldermen and Shirifes and euery of them, & al and euery other his Maiesties Officers and Ministers within the sayde Citie, Borough of Southwarke and libertes therof, all excuses ceasiyng and set aparte, endeuoure themselues with all conuenient diligence fromhencefurth, from tyme to tyme too see procure and cause the saide estatute and euery braunche and article therin conteined, iustly to be obserued and put in due execucion accordyngly, as they and euery of them tendre his Maiesties fauour and will auoyde his highnes Indignacion, and displeasure.

God saue the Kyng.

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excudebat,
Mense Maii,
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Cum Priuilegio ad imprimendum solum